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IN RE APPLICATION OF :
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated April 17 2006, Applicants elect,
with traverse, Group V: Claims 14-15, 16 (in part) and 17, for further prosecution.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.